

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 20—Cotton futures opened barely steady. March 24.30; May 24.65; July 24.90; October 24.70; December 24.76.

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WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—Alabama: Fair and slightly warmer tonight. Saturday cloudy, probably followed by showers Saturday night.

HEAVY DAMAGE DONE BY FIRE IN HUNTSVILLE

THREE ORDINANCES FOR STREET PAVING PASSED BY COUNCIL

Trio of Thoroughfares Will Be Improved In Decatur At Once

REQUESTS FOR PAVING HEARD

Savings On the Original Building Permits the New Improvement

The Decatur city council last night adopted ordinances providing for the improvement of sections of three additional streets and took under advisement the request of citizens for improvement of two other thoroughfares.

Paving ordinances adopted by the council last night provide for the paving of Davis street from Fourth avenue to Bank street including the area about the Morgan County court house and the county jail, Line street from Davis street to Lee street, connecting Line with the latter important thoroughfare; Fifth avenue, Decatur from the Danville road to Fifth avenue, Albany, connecting the pavement on Danville road with the pavement on the Albany side of Fifth.

The specifications call for the same high grade paving as laid on the other streets in the city during the recent construction. Five inches of concrete will be laid, with two inches of asphalt.

A delegation appeared before the council asking that Lafayette street west be paved. The request was taken under advisement by the council.

Ben F. Martin, representing the Quality-Model Laundry, appeared before the council and requested that paving of two blocks on Cain street alongside his new mill property on that thoroughfare. His request also was taken under advisement by the council.

Funds for the improvement of the three streets for which ordinances were passed last night are available from the \$300,000 bond issue that was sold to provide funds for the original paving. The Independent Paving company contractors for the work save the later improvements.

Moulton Pike Now Rough but Passable

The Morgan County end of the Decatur-Moulton pike is rough, but is passable according to travellers over the highway, here today. The Lawrence County end which has been improved with state and government aid, is a splendid thoroughfare.

Street Drill To Be Given by Students

A street drill will be given this afternoon by students of the Decatur high school advertising the concert tonight of the Athens College Glee club. About 20 boys, who have been interested in calisthenic drills all demonstrate the drills this afternoon.

Dr. McRee Is At Somerville Today

Dr. H. C. McRee, Morgan County health officer, is in Somerville today inspecting school children of that community. The health officer's visit to Somerville was made earlier than originally planned, because of the proximity of the closing date of the schools.

COUNCIL TO MEET

The Albany city council will meet tonight in the regular semi-monthly sitting at the Albany city hall. It is understood that no urgent business before the council at this session.

Furlough Granted New Secretary



W. M. JARDINE

(Associated Press)

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 20—Dr. William Jardine, new secretary of agriculture, today was granted an indefinite leave of absence from his duties as president of the Kansas state agricultural college. This action will leave the way open for Mr. Jardine's return to the presidency upon his retirement from the cabinet.

ARMAMENT PARLEY ADVANCES A STEP

British Government Is Entirely Willing To Lend Full Help

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 20—Another step toward bringing about a new limitation by an armament conference in Washington developed today when it was announced in diplomatic circles that the attitude of the British government was at all times to back up any move by the United States to establish international peace on a firmer basis.

While the conversations designed to bring about such a conference had been going on for sometime in London and Paris, as well as Tokyo, it was stated it was considered that the plans for the conference were well along now in the preliminary stage and that the conference was likely to be called for the coming summer.

This was predicted on the understanding that the attitude of the Americans who have been consulted was to endeavor to set a date which would make it possible for Austin Chamberlain, British secretary of foreign affairs to attend the conference and that he had promised to make the journey to Washington if possible.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—Unofficial reports of British willingness to co-operate toward limitation of naval auxiliary craft at a new armament conference, was received by officials here today with gratification.

Similar expressions of co-operation from Paris and other capitals will be awaited before any formal step can be given serious consideration. No detailed information on the subject has been reached here from Ambassador Kellogg now on his way to the United States.

Runaway Trolley Costs Five Lives

(Associated Press)

MANILA, Feb. 20—Five persons, including two army officers, were killed today and 14 others, including two women, and a lieutenant, were injured when a runaway trolley car dashed out of control from the peak of Corregidor island, at the entrance to Manila bay.

The car jumped and overturned on a sharp turn, pinning many of the dead and injured beneath.

After the car had reached an un-

WATER FRANCHISE ARRANGED BY THE FAIRVIEW COUNCIL

Supply Main now being Constructed Along Somerville Pike

LOOP IS PLANNED THROUGH SECTION

Water Connections To Be Made Within the Next Two Weeks

The city council of Fairview last night awarded a franchise for water service in that municipality to the Alabama Water company and P. B. Hale, local manager of the company announced today that work is under way on the supply mains.

The company plans the extension of a supply main from here on the Somerville road. A loop will be installed there and laid through the Fairview section. Approximately two weeks will be required in the construction of the main and connections from Fairview homes may be started within that period.

The cost of the work on the part of the water company will be between \$3,000 and \$5,000.

The rates, provided for in the new franchise which was explained to the council by Charles H. Eyster, attorney of the company will be the same as those charged in Albany and Decatur. The franchise will be operative for an undetermined period of years.

The new service for Fairview is of the domestic variety. The council decided that the financial condition of the town would not permit the installation of a five protection system at this time, but the company promised to augment its water supply, to permit the installation of fire plugs, whenever the council desired such service.

Fairview still will be without sewage provisions for a time. It is expected, however, that within a comparatively short time Fairview also will demand this convenience, at which time the water company has promised to co-operate with the municipal officials.

Fate of Miners Not Yet Known

(Associated Press)

ZULLIVAN, Ind., Feb. 20—The fate of 50 miners entrapped by a blast in the City Coal company mine near here, was unknown at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Two unidentified men had been taken out at that hour.

Mill and Elevator Co., has Night Shift

The Decatur Mill and Elevator company one of the rapidly growing young industries here, now is operating on a day and night basis to keep pace with orders. The mill is located on the banks of the Tennessee river at Bank street.

controllable speed, a number of panic stricken women passengers prepared to jump, but Major John H. Hunter, who was killed, stepped on the running board with outstretched arms and prevented passengers from leaping.

Major Hunter believed those attempting to jump might be dashed over the cliff skirting the right of way, if he did not stop them.

Lieutenant Colonel Herring was the second officer killed.

First Skirmish Is Lost By Underwood Forces

NORRIS POINT OF ORDER UPHELD BY SENATE PRESIDENT

View of Nebraska solon Is Sustained Late This Afternoon

CONFEREES PUT IN NEW MATTER

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—The point of order raised against the conference report on the Muscle Shoals leasing bill, was sustained today in the senate by President Cummins.

Senator Cummins upheld the view of Senator Norris, republican, of Nebraska, that the conferees had inserted new matter not contained in either the original Underwood bill, passed by the senate or the house measure, to authorize the lease of the Tennessee river plant to Henry Ford.

Senator Underwood, democrat, of Alabama immediately appealed from the ruling and upon that he asked for a vote.

Senator Underwood asked the chair to inform the senate on what provisions his ruling was based so that the conferees would know how to proceed in case the appeal was defeated.

President Cummins declared that since he would be called upon to pass upon the report again he did not feel he should give an advance opinion. Senator Lenroot, republican, of Wisconsin, then obtained the floor and began a discussion of the senate rules.

Supporters of the bill began plans to reconsider it in the conference committee if that became necessary and eliminate, without undue delay objectionable features in order to secure favorable action at this session.

Justice Olson and Attorney in Clash

CHICAGO, Feb. 20—A physical clash between Chief Justice Harry Olson of the municipal court and Edwin Hedrick counsel for William D. Sheppard was the climax of the morning session of the inquest into the death of Sheppard's foster son, William N. McClintock, the "millionaire orphan."

Judge Olson instigator of the investigation into the death of the orphan, who by will, left the bulk of his \$1,500,000 estate to Sheppard, was referred to by Sheppard's lawyer as a "dirty rat."

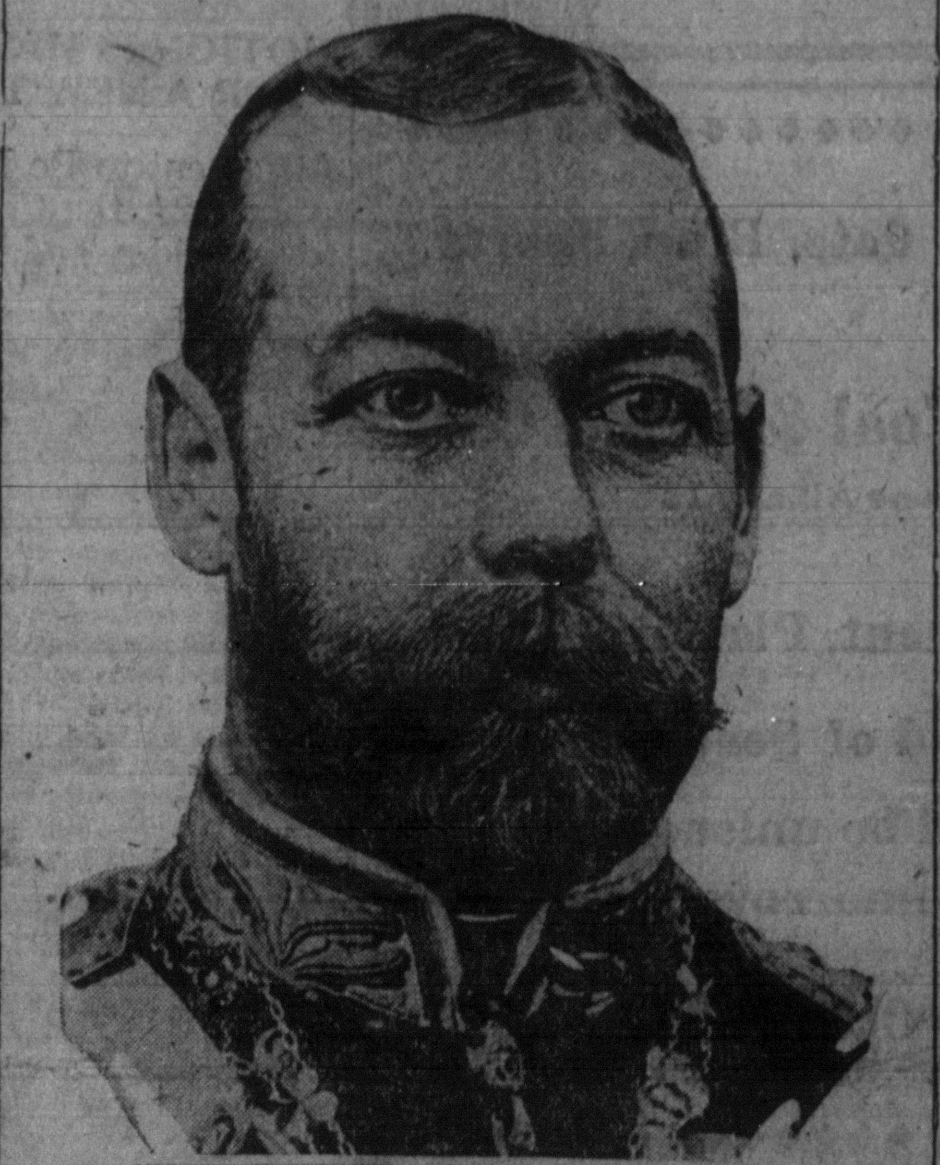
New Daily Press 'Feeds' Itself

The Daily takes pleasure in introducing to the patrons of its job department its new Chandler and Price job press, with Miller automatic feed. The press literally "feeds" itself.

Stacks of stationery are put in place, the type form locked in, the current turned on and no more attention to the machine is necessary. The required number of letter heads or whatever form of job work is being printed, is printed and the press then automatically stops the "feed," and a bell rings to call the attention of the job department foreman to the fact the press is ready to go to work on another task.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to call at the office and see the machine in operation.

KING GEORGE SPENDS RESTLESS NIGHT, BUT IS IMPROVED TODAY



KING GEORGE

(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 20—A bulletin issued from Buckingham Palace this forenoon, regarding the condition of King George, who is suffering from bronchitis, said: "In spite of a somewhat restless night, the King is making slow progress."

The King apparently suffered a good deal of trouble from the bronchitis during the night as the official bulletin records the fact that he was somewhat restless.

The doctors remained rather longer in the patient's room this morning than on previous occasions and when their bulletin did not make its appearance at the usual time, some anxiety was felt regarding the King's condition.

Early callers at the palace, however, were reassured when later it was announced that he was making slow progress.

BARGE LINE SALE BEING DISCUSSED

Bond Brothers Willing To Sell Line And New Steamer

Bond Brothers are willing to sell or rent a barge line to the Chicago firm interested in the development of coal lands in Jackson county, according to a letter received today locally from James W. Page who is at present at Lim Rock Alabama arranging properties and transfers prior to the execution of the plan for shipping coal into Albany-Decatur via the river line. The letter likewise stated that the lumbering interests were agreeable to selling the "Clara Bond" a 128 newly equipped steamer, to the coal company. No information was given out as to whether the Chicago firm would place their main offices in Albany-Decatur.

Mr. Page will remain at Lim Rock until the 26th of the present month and at that time expects to return to Albany-Decatur for further consideration of the plan for obtaining lower freight rates on the shipping of coal over the river line.

Local people are now placing an offer with the company to move their main offices into this section in view of the splendid facilities that are offered in transportation lines with two main trunk lines of railway and the use of one of the largest waterways in the South.

GLORIA IMPROVES

PARIS, Feb. 20—Gloria Swanson, American motion picture star, who underwent an operation Tuesday was reported this morning as making steady and satisfactory progress.

REVEREND WALLACE DELIVERS A TALK

Kiwanis Hear Interesting Address of Local Pastor

The address "The Minister, His place in the Community," delivered by Reverend James D. Wallace of the First Presbyterian church Decatur was the principal feature of the Kiwanis meeting held on the regular weekly meeting date, Thursday night at the Y. M. C. A. The Ladies of the Central Baptist church served a most enjoyable dinner.

The meeting was opened with prayer and song after which the dinner was served. More singing under the direction of W. R. Rankin secretary of the club was indulged in and followed with a song by Miss Polytinsky who delighted her hearers.

President Matthews then turned the meeting over to the speaker of the occasion who inspired his hearers with his address on the "Minister and his place in the Community." Reverend Wallace brought out several fine points and reached the conclusion that the minister is the balance wheel of the community, believing that without the minister that no community could possibly progress or live as religious training is a requisite to the building of business and the building of communities as well as the building of the righteous soul. At the conclusion of his constructive address, the pastor was roundly applauded.

The meeting was closed after a few business matters had been discussed.

COUPLE IS RESCUED FROM APARTMENT BY FIREMEN TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. Strune In a Narrow Escape From Suffocation

LOSS PLACED AT NEARLY \$50,000

Stores On the Ground Floor of Building are Drenched

(Associated Press)

HUNTSVILLE Ala., Feb. 20—Losses aggregating about \$48,700 from fire and water damage was sustained today as a result of a fire in the Madison County business college, which occupies a part of the second floor of the building.

Stores on the ground floor were drenched by firemen in their fight to extinguish the blaze which threatened for a time to destroy the entire building.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Strune were rescued from their apartment in the burning building by firemen, after they had been almost overcome by smoke.

Losses are estimated as follows: building owned by W. F. Syruve, \$10,000; Newton, Anderson clothing company, \$15,000; Thompson's woman's wear store, \$10,000; S. H. Kress and company \$1,500; Huntsville Amusement parlor \$1,000; Thornton's pool room \$1,000. Madison County business college \$7,000; Edward McGregor office \$500; H. C. Pollard, office, \$1,000 Dr. W. F. Jordan \$1,000; Continental Life Insurance company \$200; Strune apartments \$500.

Echols Reopens the Dining Room

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roussey have leased the Echols dining room of the Hotel Echols and have announced that the popular place will be run under the name of the St. Francis Cafe.

Mr. Roussey said this morning that the new management will be open on Sunday with an ala carte and table d'hote service and will be open with the regular business on Monday morning.

Mrs. Ellen Clark Dies at Athens

Mrs. Ellen Clark, well known Athens woman, died at her residence, 208 Beattie street, at Athens at 1:15 o'clock Friday morning, according to news received here today. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Father Sheridan at the Cathedral in Nashville on Monday morning. The body will be shipped to Nashville Monday. Interment will be made at Mt. Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. Clark is survived by her husband, Michael Clark, three daughters Misses Joanna, Mary E., and Marguerite Clark of Athens and one son, James Clark, of Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Clark had been ill but a short time, suffering an attack of apoplexy and her death came as a great shock to her many friends.

Salary Raise For Solons Is Voted

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—The proposal to increase the salaries of members of congress, already passed by the senate was approved also today by the house.

ON THE SCREEN—LAST TIMES TODAY

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To Former Official
by Judge Erwin**MOTION IS MADE
FOR A NEW TRIAL**Argument to Be Heard
July 24, the Court
Decides Today

(Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 20—Following conviction of A. E. Sartain and Lawrence Reihl on charges of conspiracy to accept and receive bribes, and acquittal of L. J. Fletcher on the same charge in the United States court here this morning, after attorneys for Sartain and Reihl had announced they would seek a new trial, A. E. Sartain was sentenced by Judge Erwin to serve one year and six months in the Atlanta penitentiary.

Reihl was sentenced to serve one year and one day, the court announcing that he was taking into consideration the fact that Reihl was not an officer of the United States government.

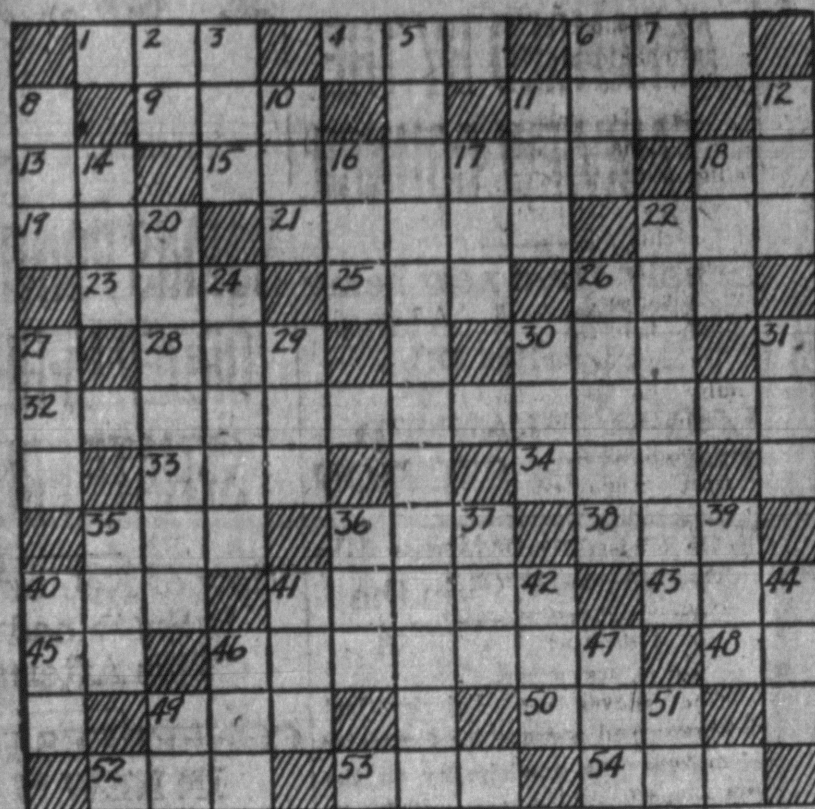
The court received the formal announcement of a motion for a new trial and fixed bail at \$5,000 for each pending action on the application for a new trial.

July 24 was set as the date for the hearing on the motion for a new trial.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

A SNOW CRYSTAL—Puzzle No. 108.

By J. C. ROYD

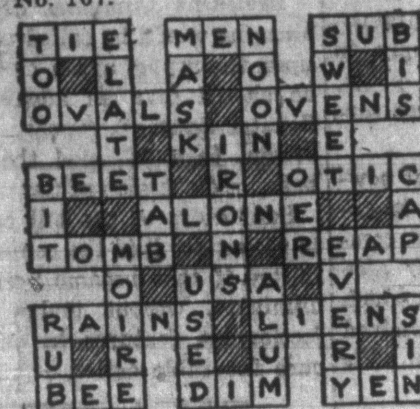
**HORIZONTAL**

- 1—an article woven from fiber
- 2—self
- 3—worn-out cloth
- 4—color
- 5—placed secretly
- 6—boy's name (abbr.)
- 7—a sloping roof
- 8—thus
- 9—large body of water
- 10—collection
- 11—syrup from a tree
- 12—alternate (abbr.)
- 13—prefix meaning before
- 14—border
- 15—contraction of Beatrice
- 16—Spanish noble
- 17—unpre-

VERTICAL

- 1—opinion
- 2—castles in a chess game
- 3—girl's hat
- 4—pertaining to digestion
- 5—shake off
- 6—a public notice (abbr.)
- 7—matter in its rarified form
- 8—arrest (slang)
- 9—royal title (initials)
- 10—farthest point up
- 11—grassy meadow
- 12—short sleep
- 13—expert aviator
- 14—man's name (abbr.)
- 15—persons with snow white hair and red eyes
- 16—those who go astray
- 17—24—opinion
- 18—25—castles in a chess game
- 19—26—Sol
- 20—27—goddess of malicious mischief
- 21—28—cease to live
- 22—29—unwell
- 23—30—assimilated form of the prefix sub
- 24—31—epoch
- 25—32—an American Indian
- 26—33—means of propelling a boat
- 27—34—marshy place
- 28—35—contorted
- 29—36—previous to the time
- 30—37—metal
- 31—38—receptacle for bathing
- 32—39—cunning
- 33—40—British (abbr.)
- 34—41—knock out (abbr.)

Herewith is solution to Puzzle No. 107.



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Tip For Beginners.

Solve this puzzle by comparing the synonyms listed in the "Horizontal" and "Vertical" columns with the number of spaces extending crosswise or downward on the diagram, as the case may be. If a word occurs to you meaning substantially the same as the synonym and the correct number of letters to fit in the spaces between its number and the first shaded stop following, write it in lightly. Work away the small words, the "easy" words, first, and they will give you plenty of clues to the difficult ones.

**Irritable, Crying
Children Often
Fault of Mother**

Tie a string around your finger and see what happens. The whole hand will soon begin to ache and throb with pain. The finger cannot receive nourishment and strength from the body and if the string is left on long enough the finger will weaken and shrivel up.

The same thing happens when any other part of the body is cut off from its normal supply of food and life-giving blood. If let alone disorders of the human system result in the same weakening and withering process.

So-called disorders of women are virtually strings tied around the female organs, which cut them off from their source of invigorating and vital nourishment. You cannot see the string but you can feel it because it soon shows itself in such distressing symptoms as headaches, backaches, nervousness, nausea, pains in the sides and lower limbs, cramps and that dreadful tired and worn-out feeling of depression, so common among weak and undernourished women. Kidney, liver and bladder troubles are the inevitable result of neglecting this condition too long.

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Oil Cloth Special	
Silk Hose, \$1.25 values	
Felt House Slippers, \$1.00 value, special	
One lot Men's Felt Hats, \$4.00 values	\$1.00

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1 Handsome Decorated Tray	75c	
Total Value	\$1.50	

Irish Potatoes, large mealy, per pk. 35c

Wesson Oil, Pints 25c

Yellow Free Peaches, No. 2 1-2 cans, 2 for 35c

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Asparagus	
Picnic Size 25c	24 lb. Bag \$1.50
No. 1 square can, 45c	48 lb. Bag \$2.95
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Lard, 8 lb. pails	\$1.75

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12 Years Ago TODAY

From The Daily of
February 21, 1913

Annual inspection of Company E will occur Tuesday night at 8 o'clock by General Scully.

Jesse Clark, local plumber, has finished the plumbing work on the Adams-Duncan apartments on Grant street.

Several big league managers are reported to be worrying over whether or not Lewis Hardage will take up a baseball career.

Chief Davidson and Policeman Cobb and Fire Chief Sorber after a hard chase through Dry Creek captured a negro who had escaped from the chain gang in Decatur.

A movement has been started for the federal government to help states in the construction of roads.

Harris-Cortner and Company bought from J. E. Butler and Sons of New Hope, 1835 bales of cotton, said to be the largest purchase made in North Alabama this season.

A DAILY PRAYER—Help us to walk patiently with Thee, Oh Lord, then shall we be enabled to walk more patiently with our fellow man.

GADSDEN SHOWS HOW BRIDGES ARE BUILT THROUGH THE ASSISTANCE OF BOND ISSUES

Is the matter of financing a bridge project through public bond issues feasible? Gadsden apparently has found that it is. People of that section wanted a bridge across the Coosa river and a bridge across the Coosa river they were going to get.

A dispatch from Chattanooga to the Nashville Tennessean sheds some light on how the bridge is to be brought about.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 18.—Gadsden, Ala., sold yesterday \$25,000 bonds issued as the city's part of the appropriation for the \$400,000 traffic bridge over the Coosa river. The bonds brought a premium of \$1,600 the purchaser to pay cost of printing and attorneys' fees.

Surely what Gadsden and Etowah county citizens have found to be practicable, would be no more impracticable in Albany-Decatur and Morgan county. They wanted a bridge badly enough to put themselves out to get it. If we want a bridge across the Tennessee river badly enough we will get one.

THE PROBLEM OF THE RURAL CHURCHES OF AMERICA AND THE ANSWER

Rev. Fred Eastman, of Oyster Bay, New York, is contemplating resignation from the ministry. In a statement published in March's "Harpers Magazine," Rev. Eastman recounts the problems which he encountered and, unable to solve, "brought me to the hilltop to wrestle with my question."

The minister writes that in his own church he had been interested in community service. The war came and changed the course of his life, as it has changed others. He gave up his parish for Red Cross work and with the return of peace turned to seek some position in which he could "develop on a larger scale the social and non-denominational work I had so much enjoyed in the parish. The opportunity came, I thought, when a secretaryship was offered me in one of the great home mission boards."

A few years work with the board convinced him, Rev. Eastman asserts, that much of the money contributed for home missions was being diverted to aid in the establishment of denominational mission churches at home. In some of these sections, he found, there were competing denominations, each denomination maintaining a small mission church and, because of the small number of the memberships, the infrequency of pastoral service, and the inadequacy of the mission's financial support, none of the missions making the progress they would have liked to have made.

Rev. Eastman writes:

"In brief, the situation is this: a goodly proportion of the money raised upon the appeals of the needs of these home missionaries among the Alaskans and Indians, the immigrants and the southern mountaineers and among the pioneer country churches and city churches is being spent in the form of home-mission aid to the multiplicity of small competing rural and village churches in the older and more settled sections of the United States. The proportion varies in different denominations but all the major denominations are guilty of the practice. Not less than twenty thousand little rural churches are being kept alive by annual grants of home-mission money. The total amount of home-mission aid going to these twenty thousand or more rural churches is about \$4,240,000 every year. Of this amount more than \$3,000,000, or seventy-one per cent, goes to churches which are directly in competition with other English-speaking Protestant church-

es. In this reckoning the accepted standard of one Protestant church to every thousand population is counted as normal and justified. Thus the home missionaries on the real frontiers are bearing the burden not only of their own work but are being used to bring in the sheaves for the competing rural churches as well.

"Let there be no misunderstanding here. This practice is not a calculated crime on the part of the mission boards. It is deep rooted in denominationalism itself. The boards are the victims of the denominational system. The worst that can be said against them is that they have been willing victims."

"The system in my particular denomination was such that the home mission money passed from the contributors to local treasuries, which have full authority to spend as much of it as they felt they needed for their local work. This category of local work included the aid to the small competing churches of their own denomination. When these local treasuries had made such appropriations, the balance was sent to State treasuries. When the State treasuries finished with it the residue, if any (and sometimes there was none), was sent to the national board to (maintain) the home missionaries on the frontiers. What wonder that the national board rolled up debts and was continually obliged to curtail its work! The system made mockery of the slogan 'To make America Christian.' It perpetuated denominationalism and all its attendant evils which every intelligent Christian deplors."

"For the next two years I labored in season and out endeavoring to reform this system. I made myself a nuisance with practically all the denominational leaders. Some sincerely disagreed. A few were sympathetic. But those who held the power would have none of the reform. It was not expedient."

"Convinced finally that the reform could not be affected from the inside, and unwilling to stay on a job where I could not attain peace of mind, I resigned. So here I am, a minister without job or income, sitting in a graveyard ruminating sadly upon whether or not I ought to try to stay in the ministry of the so called Christian Church. If some church will have me as its pastor, do I really want to tackle its problems again?"

This is the problem of the rural churches as Rev. Eastman has found it. He offers no solution, merely setting forth conditions as he believes them to exist and permitting his readers to draw their own conclusions.

There are two movements, if not more, now at work to remedy the conditions of which he complains. Churches of Alabama now are engaged in a campaign to eradicate religious illiteracy in this state. There is nothing denominational about this work. The object merely is to teach those, who do not now know, the fundamentals of the Christian religion in the hope that when these, particularly the younger generations, are reached and their footsteps started on the right path, that they will follow the Light.

Recently the newspapers of the state have had a great deal to say about the necessity for such a campaign. Rev. Eastman's article appears to bear out the claims of the press and of well known pulpit and lay leaders.

Horace M. Layman, in an address at the Westside Presbyterian church Sunday, also gives an interesting view of the situation. Mr. Layman laments the weakness of so many of the rural churches and tells how a number of religious leaders worked out the plan known as "Federated Church." He explains the plan as follows:

"This plan involves the co-operation on the part of different denominational groups in one house of worship and under the leadership of one minister, without losing their denominational identity, or giving up their denominational allegiance and support." He stated the plan had proved to be "the salvation of many rural communities and is being adopted in many others."

The allocation of territory is another plan explained by Mr. Layman. "This is identical," he says, "with the policy of the foreign boards of our churches in the refusing to compete or contend with each other in the foreign mission fields. This plan has had its most striking success in the old new state of Idaho. There the religious leaders, ministers and laymen, came together after having made a complete religious survey, and formed a home mission council and deliberately parcelled out the state among themselves, giving each denomination definite, specific territory in which it should labor, and for which it should be entirely responsible. And each denomination agreed to respect and stay out of the other's territory."

So, we find one worker picturing for us a condition which he believes to exist, and another advising us of the methods being used to cure the evils of which the first complains.

Whether or not the picture has been over-drawn is not for those of us, who have not given the matter serious thought and investigation, to say. Our own Alabama leaders have found that rural children are not being reached with the gospel of Jesus Christ, as they should be reached, and it certainly is our duty to lend to the efforts to correct the fault by our full help and co-operation.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY MOVES TO MAKE BROADWAY CLEAN UP THE THEATRES

Just as Fifth Avenue sets the style pace for the remainder of the nation in the fashion world, so does Broadway and Forty-Second street effect the offerings in the theatre producing spheres. It is interesting to the whole nation, therefore, to read that several Broadway shows recently have come under investigation by the district attorney's office, and intimation is given that certain Broadway producers may be brought to trial in the campaign to "bar inducency from Broadway."

It will be recalled that sometime ago the navy department probed for a time a play which concerned life in the marine corps. The affair, at the time, created quite a furore.

Now, press dispatches state, more than one play is being closely examined, to ascertain whether or not any of its lines or situations violate the legal code.

So many similar attempts have been made to regulate the theatrical offerings, without a great amount of success, that the present situation would be only slightly encouraging, were it not for the fact that the same dispatches reveal activity among the theatrical folk, themselves, to bring about a higher standard in the playhouses.

An organization among the players has been formed to work to this end and it is stated the powerful Actors Equity League is to be asked to join forces with the new organization.

Heretofore the producers and the players have presented more or less of a solid front to repel the attacks made one the theater. It is natural for any business to resent censorship and the amusement business resented the efforts made to censor it. Now, however, the new organization gives evidence of a determination to seek the co-operation of all branches of the profession in a movement to regulate their own affairs in such a manner that the public will have no just cause for offense.

If the profession generally will follow this lead and bestir itself the members have an opportunity to accomplish more in one season than district attorneys could accomplish in years.

SUFFRAGE ACT KILLED
(Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The bill to put women on a political equality with men by granting them the vote at the age of 21 instead of the present age of 30, was killed in the house of commons this afternoon when the house refused it the second reading by a vote of 220 against 163.

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Dr. A. J. Perollo director of the Tennessee Valley Laboratory is visiting in Hartselle today. A unit of the laboratory was installed in Hartselle several months ago and has been doing splendid work.

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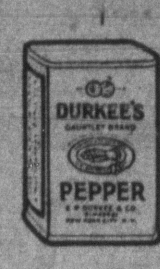
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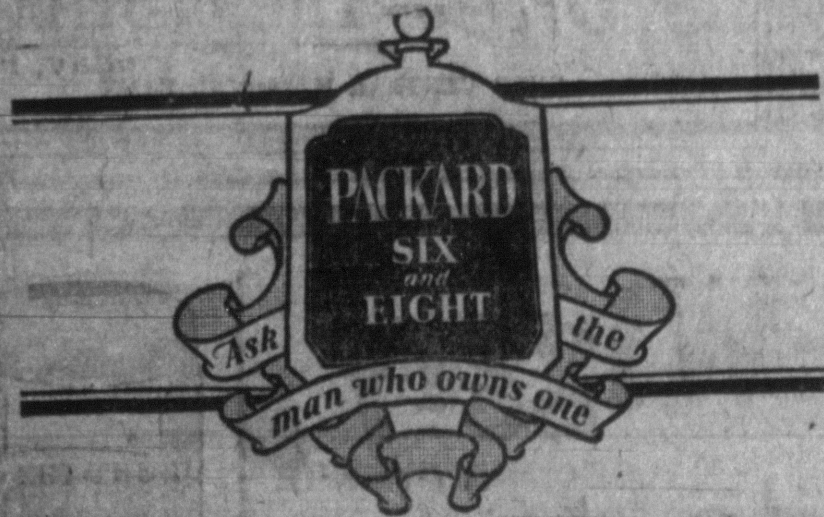
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SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Central Parent Teachers Association will give a birthday party beginning at 7:30 p. m. in the gymnasium of the Central High school. All parents are invited to attend.

Friday Thirteen. Mrs. Eugene Morrow.

Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. Ellen Ballas.

SATURDAY

Saturday Club. Mrs. A. T. Hanson.

Saturday Bridge Club. Miss Elizabeth Ann Morrow.

VALENTINE PARTY

Misses Ruby Mae and Lela Motes delightfully entertained a number of their young friends with a Valentine party on Friday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Motes.

Conversation, games and contests were the features of the evening. Enjoyable music was given by Mr. Joseph Chalbot, of New York city accompanied on the piano by Miss Ruby Mae Motes.

A valentine crossword puzzle contest was won by Miss Lorena Sewell. Mr. A. G. Röper and Mr. Harold Wright.

At a late hour delicious refreshments were served to the following: Misses Ruby Mae and Lela Motes, Mary Stroud, Lorena Sewell, Mildred Byars, Frances Burt, Zella B. and Louise Kitchens, Minnie Hockett, Bessie Lamon, Ora Ruth and Cue McConnell, Margaret Walker and Mrs. Daly. Messrs: Homer and Mahlon Stovall, Percy and James Garnett, Ned Buchanan, Hubert Ragsdale, Richard Goode, Joe McLean, A. G. Röper, Harold Wright, Joe McRae, James Arnold, Marion Russell, Roy Warren, Herman Ross and Willie Kitchens. The out of town guests were Mr. Earl Reive of Detroit, Mich., and Mr. Joseph Chalbot of New York city.

Miss Gladys Bernardi, Louise Almon, and Sarah Blackwell attended the performance "Daddy Long Legs" in Cullman on Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. S. Workman left last night for Montgomery where she has been called to the bedside of Mrs. Seelye, a relative who is very ill.

Mrs. Rosetta Isabel of Hazel Green Alabama spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. T. H. Gentry who is ill at her home on Prospect Drive.

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Mrs. Loma Bevels from Pulaski, Tenn., spent a few days with her sister Mrs. T. H. Gentry.

Mrs. Oscar Tomelin and little daughter of Pulaski, Tenn., were recent visitors with Mrs. T. H. Gentry on Prospect Drive.

Mrs. Abner Morrow of Nashville, Tenn., is spending the weekend with Mrs. F. D. Peebles.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Loyd have returned from their wedding trip to winter resorts in Florida.

Mrs. Maud Bullard who spent the past two weeks with Mrs. T. M. Harvey and Mrs. J. L. Echols expects to leave on Sunday for a visit to friends in Memphis, Tenn., en route to her home in Ennis, Texas.

Friends of Mrs. P. H. Sandlin will be glad to know that she is recuperating from a recent illness.

Mrs. Ben Rowe is now able to be out after a two weeks illness.

Miss Willie Harbin of Fayetteville Tenn., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ben Rowe.

Milton Wells is very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Johnny Borden of Nashville is spending the weekend with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Adderhold.

Mrs. T. A. Caddell returned this morning from a weeks visit to her sister, Mrs. David Webb in Memphis.

James Godfrey who spent the past several months with his sister, Mrs. Breuner Smith in Florence has returned home.

Rev. T. B. Stewart is able to be up after an illness with flu.

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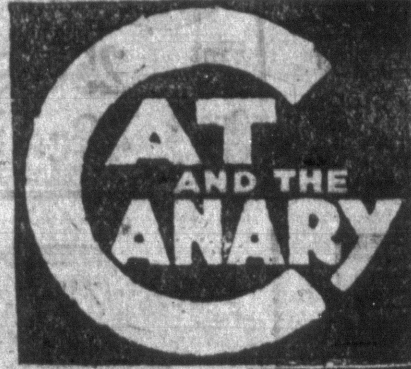
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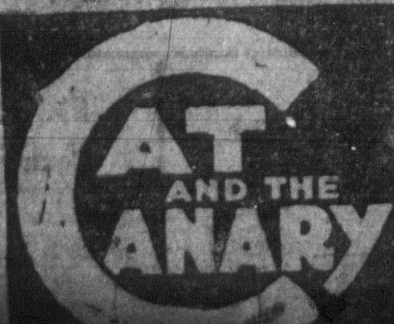


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Witness my hand as register of said court, this February 6, 1925.

MARVIN WEST

Register

Feb. 6-13-20.

SPORTS**Saints Put Up Great Battle to Down Y. M. C. A. Tossers; Stahmer Leads Score**

The Saints from St. Bernard College about faced last night after their defeat at the hands of Albany high school and took the Y. M. C. A. team into tow with a six point lead when the whistle ended further conflict. The Saints attacking squadron headed by Stahmer pulled up at the end with 26 points while the Y. M. C. A. trailed with a total of nine baskets and two foul throws.

A tight defense was displayed by the teams at the opening of the game and although a number of shots were allowed by both teams the first quarter ended in a scoreless tie. The Y. M. C. A. opened the second quarter by scoring a basket. Hurst, Holloman and Roper added to the first and the score stood 9-0. Then the Saints assumed an attacking mood and the score at the end of the half showed honors again even, standing at 10-10.

Not to be denied further the Saints with their strongest combination on the floor and Stahmer playing an excellent floor game as well as counting points, the Saints pulled away to what was apparently a safe lead. The Saints piled up 20 points at the close of the third quarter while the Y. M. C. A. had added but two baskets through Roper and Holloman. At the opening of the fourth quarter the local lads made their last consistent drive for victory and reached a total of 18 before the Saints were able to count any further. With one more basket the Y five was forced to be content, while the Saints again moved away to safe distance and the total of 26 was rolled up for the evening.

St. Bernard has in Stahmer one of the best floor men who has appeared here this season. Stahmer frequently took the ball from his own backboard

and travelled the full length of the floor before he was halted. Stahmer was also high point man for his club with five baskets for the night.

Roper, Holloman and Hurst did all the scoring for the Y. M. C. A. Roper gathered three baskets. Holloman four, and one foul toss, and Hurst contributed 2 baskets and one free toss. Braswell and Gustin played excellent games at the guard positions for the Y. M. C. A. after they replaced Ellison and Shelton. Ellison retired after sustaining an injury to his chin while Shelton was removed when four personal fouls were called against him.

White, Hoene and Kelly were the running mates of Stahmer who showed real ability. White at center tossed four field goals and Kelly counted with one toss.

Clyatt, Murray, Crawford and Lee were substituted at the guards and center for the Saints while Gustin and Braswell were the only substitutions for the local boys. Only a small crowd witnessed the game.

Tomorrow night, Saturday, February 21st, the Dallas Reserves appear on the local court against the Y. M. C. A. The game will be started promptly at 7:30 o'clock on the Albany high floor.

The Reserves recently defeated the Y. M. C. A. on their own floor at Huntsville 21-20 and the game tomorrow night will be the deciding game of the four game series between the two. Dallas has won two games while the Y has galloped away with but one decision.

Further announcements were made this morning that the local Y. M. C.

A team will meet the Hartselle Independents on the local floor next Thursday night. The Merrimack Scouts from Huntsville will play on the following Saturday locally. These games will most probably wind up the schedule of the local boys for this season.

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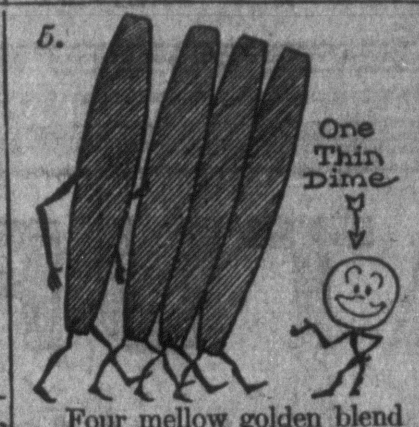
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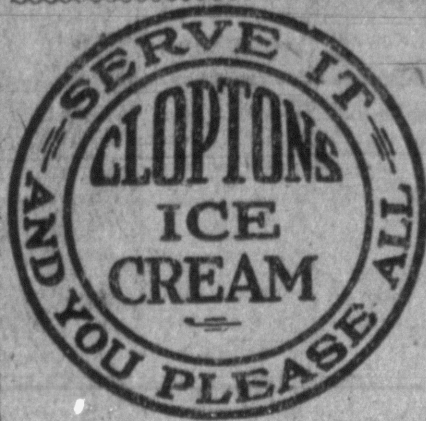
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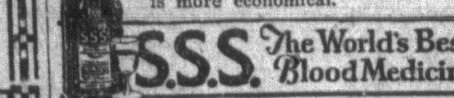
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Minneapolis, Minn.
On the beautiful sunlit knoll near two old cedar trees amid flowers and singing birds we laid the mortal remains of our good friend, Pat Leach. The open hearts and homes, the warm sympathy and floral offerings of the good folks of Decatur although entire strangers to us all, establishes in my mind that the famed hospitality is still a living virtue.

C. D. O'Kieffe.

Woman's Screams Frighten Robbers

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 20—Three armed men held up eight persons, including the proprietor in the Circle hotel on West 60th street early today, and escaped with jewelry and cash totaling more than \$1,200.

They were frightened off by the screams of a woman before they had searched three men lined up in the lobby.

Court of Honor Will Meet Again

The Boy Scout Court of Honor, which met Tuesday evening at the Morgan County courthouse and elevated thirty five Scouts to second class, will meet again March 17 when an examination will be conducted to elevate the Scouts to first class.

Those successfully passing the second class examination Tuesday include Troop 16 Albany—Charles Mathews Theron Montgomery, J. D. Bush, Jr., John Sheer, Solon Grayson, Willard Proctor, John Caddell.

Troop 17, Decatur—W. F. Frazier, Earnest Tillery, Gordon Griffin, Ben Holmes, John H. Jones, Eugene Morrow, Elmer Sumell.

Troop 20, Decatur—William E. Rogers, Brandon Flemming, Otto Sims, Grady Sims, Tracey Knight, Bille Boswell, Tom Campbell, Melvin Oliver.

Troop 22, Hartselle—Vernon Thomas, Eugene Orr, John T. Kyle, Jr., Harold Orr, Paul Brake, Clarence Ford, William Huie, Comer Lile.

Negro Chatauqua Being Arranged

Following appearance of a number of well known local negroes before the Decatur city council Thursday evening, permission was granted for the proposed Chatauqua, now being arranged. Permission for any tented shows in connection with the affair was denied, the council fearing that is might be in conflict with the agreement against any kind of street fairs.

Mrs. Chas. E. Roe To Speak Tonight

A great deal of interest is being shown in the address to be delivered at the Albany high school Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock by Mrs. Chas. E. Roe, one of the two field workers of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Association.

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SURE, CHARLIE. What's the matter with it now?
OH, SAME OLD THING—BATTERY DOWN. I can't get a spark out of her. Say, how do you keep that old car of yours going all the time? It's two years older than mine but you never have any trouble starting on cold days.
WHY, THAT'S EASY, CHARLIE. Just as soon as the weather begins to get cold I drive over to Lide's and have them check up on my generator to see that it is charging the battery enough to take care of the additional lights I use and still leave enough juice in the battery to turn the motor over easily in cold weather.
SUPPOSE YOUR BATTERY NEEDS CHARGING. Can they take care of that?
SURE THING. A drop in over there every few weeks during the winter and let the boys put water in the battery and make sure it is right up to standard. You would save many hours of hard work and bad temper, as well as considerable money, if you would do the same.
WELL, BELIEVE ME, Joe it's me for that place quick. Suppose I need a new battery. Can they supply me with a good one at a reasonable price?
YES, INDEED. They sold me mine over two years ago. Of course they have a make of battery that is known the world over for its lasting qualities and fairness of price. It's a U. S. L. I understand it is standard equipment in seventy two different makes of Automobiles so it must be pretty good.
FINE BUSINESS. Hurry over. I'm late now. Just tell me again where that place is.
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THANKS, very much, Joe. GOOD BYE.

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